

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Marijke De Meyer et al.

Art Unit: 4172

Application No.: 10/565,097

Examiner: Robert S. Walters, Jr.

Filed: January 18, 2006

For: A METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR THE PRODUCTION OF  
METAL COATED STEEL  
PRODUCTS

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 14, 2008, reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks and indication of the allowability of all claims pending herein at an early date are respectfully solicited.

<b><i>CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</i></b>			
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office via the Electronic Filing System.			
<i>Name (Print/Type)</i>	Nancy Kloster		
<i>Signature</i>	/Nancy Kloster/	<i>Date</i>	May 14, 2008